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went down with the Russian battle. Can't afford to keep them out, ship Petropavlovsk, was 50 years of wet- Exchange. age. His whole career, when not fighting, was given up to studying how to prevent ships from sinking.

Just at this time Virginia, as a

how to prevent ships from sinking.

A concert was given in Chicago last week for the beacht of soldiers wounded on the battlefields of the Russo-Japanese war. Tickets were sold on invitation and \$4,500 was realized, which will be sent to St. Petersburg for the Russian Red Cross society fund.

The total enrollment of students in the 10 largest universities in the country to James which will be completed to become a city. Great quantities of come a city. Great quantities of

Pa., that it will have a range of thir-ty miles and that a similiar ten inch gun could throw a shell fifty-nine few years ago solving for n

will be able to go to war without leaving home at all.

The C. B. & Q. railroad company recently sold seven locometives to the Japanese government, at a cost of \$28,000 each. They were overhauled and securely boxed at the West Burlington shops and made fifteen carloade. They will be transported to San Francisco, where they will be embarked for Japan. The engines are to go into service on railroad-controlled by the Japanese in Korea.

The United States Suprems Court has dismissed the appeals the enthousand or more acres bids fair to the new State constitution. The Court refused to easter into the merits of the case but threw out the appeal because the act sought to be prohibited, the canvassing of the election returns of 1902, with its conseption and any adjudication, were the court disposed to make it, would

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against the printing of
objectionable advertisements and stories in newspapers and periodicals
throughout the country. The action
is based on section 3893 of the revised statutes, which imposes a fine of
not exceeding \$5,000 or imprisonment for any person depositing in the
mails or adding in circulating through

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the mails of any obscene print, pamphlets, etc. It is proposed to amend this law to include vulgar advancement are now grown far beyond their bounds, and many people have become wealthy beyond expectations, and all have plenty of work and plenty of money. The same her of papers containing questionable matter have been thrown out of the mails under telegraphic orders to the mails under telegraphic orders to the postunasters, and a campaign will be waged against objectional medical advertisements, which are widely advertisements, which are widely published.

The fifteen main lines of railroads centering in St. Louis confidently expect to equal, if not exceed, during the exposition, the business done by the Chicago lines during the fair of 1803. All plans for equipment and service are being perfected upon this basis, which will require the roads to Carry into St. Louis about 7,700,000 people above the normal number carried are for standing afternaments entry into St. Louis about 7,700,000 people above the normal number carried during the summer assaon. Chicago had within a radius of 600 miles a population of 27,000,000 from which to draw, and this figure also about represented the attendance. Within the ease ration St. Louis will have a population of 27,000,000 from which to draw, and this figure also about represented the attendance. Within the ease ration St. Louis will have a population of about 32,000,000 for the shift to draw, such the ease number of the fair.

While it may be true that all things come to him who waits, there may be a little time saved by going out to meet your good luck.

Ix the United States there are upward of 20,000,000 families and at least 5,000,000 families and at least 6,000,000 families and at least 6,000,000 families and at least 6,000,000 fami The fifteen main lines of railroads Will be Held in Richmond June

The average ellicated man gets a salary of \$1,000 per year. He works JOHN BASSETT MOOREAND 40 years, making his a total of \$40. The average educated man gets a Ax extensive deposit of coal has been found in Alaska. How centern laborer gets \$1.50 per day, 500 days Tondered the Presidency. been found in Alaska. How cenventient for the coal man! Right next door to the gold fields.

While there is nothing new under the same stated of t been found in Alaska. How cenven-ient for the coal man! Right part in the year or \$420 per year. In 40 Washi years he carms \$16,800 or \$18,000 entative

The total enrollment of students in the country to January 1. 1904, was no decided and were land off in town lote, and follows: Hervard, 5,956; Columbia, 4,512; Chicago, 4,463; Michigan, 4. 1909. Minnesota, 3,825; Idinois, 3. 825; Northwestern, 3,691; California, 18,690; Cornell, 3,457; Yale 2,975.

Is a jury trial in Chicago involving the reciprocal right of employer and employe, 9 of the jurymen refused to accept the instructions of Judge Mack to the effect that the embrack of the country of the mineral age. The mineral age is a solid one. The mineral age.

fused to accept the instructions of such hooms. But the present growth Judge Mark to the effect that the emission is a solid one. The mineral agri-ployer had a right to salect his own entural and timber wealth is of all most present the hidden must investigately be value. employees. They were ordered from most incalculable value. The hidden wealth of our mountains and valleys of the employer was entered.

Co. Ixoners, U. S. A., retired, in this development, but the home now under construction at Reading, Pa., that it will have a range of thirty miles and that a similiar ten inch gan could throw a shell force. miles. So some day, you see, nations have per nove, considered almost will be able to go to war without dreds of dollars per nove, and farming lands have increased in value nearly

CONVENTION.

that in case there is a refusal the man decided upon next may not feel that he is seemed or third choice. The opinion strongly prevails here that John Bassett Moore, of New York, is the man who has been ten-dered the offer.

A. M. BROWN.

In speaking of the death of Mr. A. M. Brown, the Junesville Tegerines, in its last issue says:

A. M. Brown is dead. On last Sunday morning, at 3 o'clock, the genial proprieta of the Brown Hotel, and one of Junesville's oldest and must be the second control of the

omestead standing through

order of oak" are men in Samuel Colling the Post Master, has made his return from Pineritle, where he odies are made of the

IT IS A MATTER OF REALTH



THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE

1891 he was married to Miss Mariah J. Roberts, who still survives. He was the father of nine children two of whom, Victoria, who married Harrey Marian, and A. J. Brown preceded their father to the grave.

Mr. Brown was a man of remarkable strength and vigor up antil a few months ago. The age had silvered his hair to the sas atill erect, active and energetic. He was a man of exceptional intelligence and memory and was an interesting conversa-

FROM STONEGA.

FROM CRAB ORCHARD-

FROM WHITESBURG-

FROM CLINTWOOD.

Our school at this place is progressing deely, but not as large as it has been.

Mr. Justice of Buchanan County, who

There was a revival held in the Bantist Church a week ago, and there was 30 converts, ten of which were baptized.

Brade Satherdand, who has been one of our students, has gune home to remain.

Miss Alice Drez, and Mr. S. H. Sutherland, would home on a pleasure trip Saturday and returned Sunday.

The subjects of our achood elected by

The students of our school elected by allot the man to preach our annual serion on varieties. Rec. Grant. Butchings, of Wise County, will preach the serion if the accepts. The school classes June Sth, and the sermon will be a day or two actions.

Miss Blanche Cook, one of our most ac-implished roung tadies, has been very for the past month.

complished young ladies, has been very lill for the past month.

There will be an entertainment at the college the latter part of this week by the elements share, where the control of the efficient teacher. Mere floor tray of Lebraron, Va.

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that torkeys have been kept, to his knowledge, for vears and eggs for practically unlimited periods. Meat inspection at the stock yards by the city, he declared, is absolutely accessary. He startled the health committee members by saying: "There should be no delay, I know all shout conditions at the stock yards, for I worked there for years as a butcher. If the meat inspector done not match worked there for years as a burcher. If the meat inspector dose not watch the meat inspector dose not watch the meat inspector dose not watch the meat in some cases as good meat. I have known turkeys being kept in storage for twelve years and chickens for eight or ten years. Eggs are preserved and stored for years and years and years and years and years.

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weeks.
A number of boys, of near here, went failing Monday (of which your service was one) and caught 132 nice ones.
A heartfall wedding look place in toen a few days hence. The contracting parties were Mr. Creed French and Miss Bertia Greek, Jac. M. Shaon officialing May joy and happiness ever be their.
Messrs, J. F. Hatchinson, G. T. Bond and Was. Rose returned Monday from a visit to homefolks. They report a nice trip.

Hamblen Brothers,

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Big Stone Sap, Va., May 25th, 26th, and 27th, 1904.

May 25th, 8 P. M.

Address of Welcome, —Hon. W. H. Horton, Mayor of Big Stone (Response, —Hon. W. M. Davidson, Supt. of Schools, Lee Count Address, —Rev. J. T. Henderson, President of Virginia Institu

May 26th, 9:30 A. M.

L. D. Shumate, Pearisburg.

May 26th, 2 P. M.
Machine Methods in Education.—Prin. Allen Jones, Jr., Liberty Hd
Discussion.—Prin. P. R. Allen, Graham; Prin. J. E. Carter, 68

If you have property for sale or rent, place same with the Wise County Real Estate Agency They are in Discussion.—Mr. C. B. Slemp, Big Stone Gap; Hon, G. R. Hu

of Emory and Henry College.

Discussion.—Mr. C. B. Slemp, Big Stone Gap; Hon, G. R. Huffer Superintendent, Wythe County.

Consolidation of Rural Schools.—Hon, W. J. Edmondson, Sepsia tendent, Washington County.

Proper Curriculum for Rural Schools,—Hon. C. O. Hardwick, 8 perintendent, Giles County. How Best to Improve the Rural Schools.—Hon, W. D. Smith perintendent, Scott County.

May 26th, 8 P. M. Address by Gov. A. J. Montague

May 27, 9:30 A. M.

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More State Normals or High Schools with Normal School Course Which?—Hon. J. H. Long, Superintendent, Dickenson County. Discussion.—Prin. Alson Hutton, Richlands.

Does Higher Education Increase the Usefulness of Women.—Ms Kate Hunt, Stonewall Jackson Institute.

Discussion.—Rev. B. C. Henning, Bristel; Hon. R. L. Counts, S. perintendent, Wise County.

Danger of our Present System of Education.—Hon. W. L. Patta. Superintendent, Russell County.

Discussion.—Supt. D. D. Hale, Narrows; Prin. Geo. A. Dutta. Seven Mile Ford.

May 27th, 2 P. M.

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Virginia State Teachers' Association.—Hon. R. C. Stearnes, S tendent, Rosnoke County; Pres't. F. B. Fitzpatrick, Gate (5) The Teacher a Factor in the Community.—Prin. F. A. Kell Chilhowie.

Discussion.—Hon. Thompson Belcher, Superintendent, Buchang County; Prin. R. H. Snodgrass, Glade Springs. Geograf suggestions for the good of the cause.

May 27th, S.P. M.

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Address.—Col. Geo. D. Miles, Radford.

Miscellaneous Business.

Other prominent educators will be present.

Prof. Tuttle, of the University of Virginia, has promised to be present and to take part in the program. All teachers and schoofficers in Southwest Virginia are cordially invited to be present enjoy the fine program. Everybody in reach of Big Stone Gaps invited to attend the meetings.

For particulars in reference to entertainment, &c., write to

R. H. SHEPPE, Principal Big Stone Gap Schools, Local A. 8. 5.30 F. M.